

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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| First named Applicant: Kenneth L. Oakeson                      | Group Art Unit:  |
| Application No.: 09/873,194 (CONF 5696)                        | 3628             |
| Filed: 6/5/2001  |                  |
| Title: Use of a job ticket service to store bid<br>information | Examiner:        |
| Attorney Docket No.: 10005667-1                                | Sara M. Chandler |

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action of August 11, 2006, please consider the following remarks.